

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Chad A. MIRKIN et al.
Title: PEPTIDE AND PROTEIN ARRAYS AND DIRECT-WRITE
LITHOGRAPHIC PRINTING OF PEPTIDES AND PROTEINS
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AMENDMENT

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Madam/Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated February 20, 2009, and the Applicants petition for a three month Extension of Time.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: